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**SECOND AMENDMENT AND  
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

This submission is responsive to an Office action mailed February 24, 2004, in which claims were restricted. The Applicants request reconsideration in view of the following remarks. This amendment is timely filed.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.

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